

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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In re Patent Application of:  
Manfred Dick et al.

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For: METHOD FOR CONTROLLING A DEVICE  
FOR TREATING THE HUMAN EYE

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Examiner: A. M. Farah

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated December 2, 2009, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows: